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THE FREEZE IN POLAND: The Polish government, which has

been one of the most liberal in the satellite nations, now feels liberalization has gone too far and is tightening controls in everything from Church-State relations to travel regulations. Militiamen recently entered the theological seminary of the Poznan Archdiocese, impounded what cash could be found, froze the school's bank account and confiscated all records. In Wroclaw a government court will soon consider expropriation of the archepiscopal residence. But restrictions are not limited to inside Poland. In recent months a number of prominent Western intellectuals--including John Fischer, editor of Harper's Magazine and Francois Bondy, editor of Paris Preuves--have been unable to obtain Polish visas. Prof. Zbigniew Brzezinski was warmly received in the less westernized satellites of Rumania and Czechoslovakia while on a speaking tour arranged by the Council for Foreign Affairs, but he was never given the visa to complete his tour with a visit to Poland. Prof. Brzezinski, who is with the Russian Institute at Columbia University, says economic setbacks, factional conflicts and fear of continued westernization have given Polish leaders a sense of insecurity and they have responded with the new controls which, he says, may last as long as two years.